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ROOSEVELT

Interesting Career and Home Life of the New President of the United States.

Theodore Roosevelt, the new president of the United States, is one of the most remarkable men in this country. His career, which from the outset has been a most "strenuous" one, may be divided into nine phases or stages, leading up to the 14th as president, upon the duties of which he is just entering.

In nine different roles he has given evidence of the attributes that make him today perhaps the most talked of man of forty-three in the world.

Of aristocratic birth, a member of a family distinguished for valor, patriotism and culture for many generations, young Roosevelt first used for public favor which he appeared as candidate for assemblyman in his native city, New York. He was then just out of college, 1879, and was twenty-one years of age.

Even his opponents admit that he was a zealous servant of his own party—an unwavering Republican. He was then, as now, athletic and remarkable for his boundless energy, his interest in people and things and his unfailing enthusiasm.

The second stage of Mr. Roosevelt's public career was that in which he announced himself as candidate for mayor of New York.

It was very characteristic that he should, with his belief in himself, consider the office of mayor one which he was equipped to fill, but unquestionably if Mr. Roosevelt were consulted today he would agree with his friends that his defeat in this race was beneficial to him. Defeated as candidate for mayor, Mr. Roosevelt next appears as a national civil service commissioner, and here again the party found him strenuous, exacting, capable and efficient.

This appointment was made in 1889 by President Harrison, which Roosevelt was a table over thirty. Two years later, in 1891 the fourth stage of Mr. Roosevelt's remarkable life, he appears as a leader of big game.

When Theodore Roosevelt concluded to hunt grizzly bears, he naturally desired to do so in what he considered proper game, and in no more interesting locality than the picturesque Dakota ranching country. The pictures of Mr. Roosevelt taken in his costume as a hunter show him looking his rifle, loaded with deadly bullets. The leather breeches, with their picturesque adornment of fringe, the hunting shirt of leather, embroidered appendix by Indians, the scarlet silk handkerchief, every implement in order, the knife thrust through the cartridge belt, are all the clothing paraphernalia of the cowboy's hero.

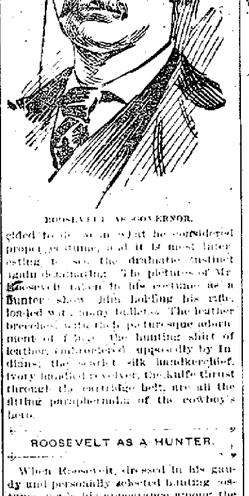
ROOSEVELT AS GOVERNOR.

ROOSEVELT AS A HUNTER.

When Roosevelt, dressed in his gaudy and personally selected hunting costume, made his appearance among the untrammeled citizens around Little Missouri river, he was looked upon as a tenderfoot of a very elementary brand. The laughs who proposed to show him a thing or two arranged among themselves, in their own expressive language, "to take some of the frills out of the New York tenderfoot."

A well known character approached Roosevelt and asked him what he intended to do and what kind of game he was after. The New Yorker said he was after grizzlies, and it was soon noised about the camp that the "four eyed tenderfoot" was looking for big game. The hardest man in the vicinity sent word to Roosevelt that he couldn't shoot any grizzlies in that territory and that if he attempted to the "bad man" in question would be informed and proposed to shoot Roosevelt at sight.

When this message was conveyed to the blue eyed tenderfoot, he seemed greatly pleased, and, looking eagerly through his glasses, he inquired of his informant "where the 'bad man' lived." Immediately upon receiving the desired information Roosevelt rode over to see the man who proposed to shoot him. When he reached the camp of the individual in question, the "bad man" had forgotten why he intended to shoot and was very much disposed to be amiable with the tenderfoot from the east.



MRS. ROOSEVELT.

Mr. Roosevelt not only wore a costume which he considered appropriate for killing grizzlies, but he actually killed more bears than the best of the "bad men," and his unquestioned bravery and fearlessness won him, as it always does with the Bret Harte type of man, unbounded respect and love.

What the men of the west thought of the tenderfoot was shown when Theodore Roosevelt called for volunteers for the rough riders, among whom were some of those who tried to "take the frills off the New York dude" when he first appeared among them and who today heartily and loyally refer to him as a leader whom they would follow to the death.

POLICE COMMISSIONER OF NEW YORK.

The fifth stage of Mr. Roosevelt's career was undoubtedly his service as police commissioner of New York city. Other commissioners have come and gone, and their records are more or less prosaic, but the history of Theodore Roosevelt stands out again picturesque, dramatic and alive with the intensity of the man's nature, an intensity which differentiates him at every step of his career from his predecessors or successors. As police commissioner Mr. Roosevelt made New York seethe with excitement. Disgusted, he visited at night the various precincts, looking for himself and testing the probity and capability of his corps. By day he fought the other police commissioners, he upset old time rules and enforced old time "blue laws," because as he explained, they were in the statute books and must be obeyed until they were repealed.

The sixth phase of Mr. Roosevelt's career was brief, but most satisfactory, and was embraced in the short time of his service as assistant secretary of the navy. Colonel Roosevelt was nominated by President McKinley on April 6, 1897. On April 17 he tendered his resignation as police commissioner to Mayor Strong of New York city.

From the very first Roosevelt foresaw the possibility of a conflict with Spain, and he set about preparing his department for it. He pushed repairs on the ships, he worked with might and main for the navy personnel bill and visited the various naval reserves throughout the country. He left nothing undone, in fact, that would secure the highest efficiency in the service when the time for action came. It is an open secret that he it was who first realized the tremendous opportunity that the war would open in the east and who had Dewey in whom he recognized the right man for the place, appointed to command the eastern squadron. Naval officers agree that the remarkable skill in marksmanship displayed by the American gunners was due to his foresight. He saw the necessity of practice and he thought it the best kind of economy to burn up ammunition in mastering skill.

A characteristic story, of the truth of which there is no doubt, is told regarding Roosevelt's insistence on practice in the navy. Shortly after his appointment he asked for an appropriation of $6,000,000 for ammunition, new drig and shot for the navy. The appropriation was made, and a few months later he asked for another appropriation, this time of $6,000,000. When asked by the proper authorities what had become of the first appropriation, he replied, "Every cent of it was spent for powder and shot, and every bit of powder and shot has been fired." When he was asked what he was going to do with the $6,000,000, he replied, "Use every ounce of that, too, within the next thirty days in practice shooting." When the Maine was blown up, Mr. Roosevelt had no doubt that war would follow and that shortly, and his energies were bent with redoubled force to getting the navy ready. When war did finally break out, Mr. Roosevelt was for rushing matters, for taking Havana at once and dictating terms from there.

MISS ALICE ROOSEVELT.
(Present Social Leader.)

ROOSEVELT'S ROUGH RIDERS.

Naturally enough, Roosevelt would not be content to sit behind a desk while there was fighting going on. He submitted his resignation to the president on April 16 and tried to get an appointment as a General Lee's staff. Then came the rough rider idea, the seventh phase of Roosevelt's career, hardly thought of before it was realized. "Roosevelt's rough riders" something in the alliteration of the name struck the popular fancy, and the regiment became famous before it was organized. Roosevelt had had some military experience as a captain in the Dakota regiment, but not enough, in his estimation, to fit him to command a regiment in time of war, and he modestly took the second place and was content to learn from his friend, Dr Wood.

It is hardly necessary to recount the history of the rough riders from the time they were organized in San Antonio, until they were mustered out of service to recruit the jungle fever of Las Guasimas and the bloody charge of San Juan Hill. The rest is still on everybody's lips. But it is worth while to recall the remarkable influence Roosevelt's personality had over his men, an influence that wielded a thousand or more independent cowboys into a compact body of fighting men without sacrificing whatever duty is assigned to it regardless of the guilt only in charge accordingly. No matter what you may call it, it is that personality that made Roosevelt's regiment most remarkable in the history of fighting with or without a uniform. Roosevelt was made a brigadier general, and to hear the soldiers in Battle Avenue sound.

GOVERNOR, VICE PRESIDENT, PRESIDENT.

Colonel Roosevelt returned to the United States to find that he was already talked of as the next governor of New York. But his regiment, which he had "breathed and eaten with for three months," was still on his hands, and he had no time for anything but it.

QUENTIN ROOSEVELT.
(Head of the youngsters.)

Not until he became a private citizen on Sept. 15 would he talk of politics, and then he found the tide of events bearing him along inevitably and irresistibly.

The eighth stage of Roosevelt's career began with his assumption of the office of governor of New York state and the ninth with his inauguration as vice president of the United States March 4, 1901.

A tenth phase is just opening for him as the chief executive of the greatest nation in the world.

President Roosevelt's ancestry and his rearing and education, coupled with an excessively aggressive nature, manifested unmistakably even in his very early boyhood, seemed to presage for him a more than ordinary career.

ROOSEVELT'S ANCESTRY.

Theodore Roosevelt was born Oct. 27, 1858, in his father's house, 28 East Twentieth street, in New York city. In that quiet region around Gramercy park, the home of many families bearing names held in high honor and esteem, there was none bearing a name more highly honored and esteemed than the family into which Theodore Roosevelt was born. For six generations his forbears had been prominent as citizens of New York and distinguished in the councils of the city. His father, James J. Roosevelt, was alderman in 1828, 1829 and 1830, assemblyman from 1835 to 1840, congressman from 1841 to 1843 and supreme court justice from 1854 to 1860; his grandfather, James Roosevelt, who was a merchant, was assemblyman in 1799-07 and alderman in 1809; his great-grandfather, Cornelius C. Roosevelt, likewise a merchant, was alderman from 1786 to 1801; his great-great-grandfather, Cornelius Roosevelt, was alderman from 1758 to 1794; his great-great-great grandfather, John Roosevelt, also a merchant, was alderman from 1748 to 1767, and his great-great-great-great grandfather, Nicholas Roosevelt, was alderman of New York city in 1700-01.

Such was the life of the sturdy Dutch ancestors from whom Theodore Roosevelt inherited his name. But although his name is Holland Dutch Scotch, Irish and French Huguenot blood mingle in his veins in equal measure with that of his Dutch ancestors and accounts to no small extent for the personal qualities of the man, his energy and perseverance, his impulsive, not to say fiery, temperament and his vivacious mode of expression. With the impetus of family and the favorable material conditions in which he found himself as well as by the force of his own personality, Roosevelt might have advanced rapidly to any path he chose, whether it led toward brilliant social success or the making of a large fortune. That he chose a career of public service is characteristic of the man, the more so in that he saw in the course he had marked out for himself small chance of pecuniary remuneration and a struggle for principle that might jeopardize those rewards that are the politician's. Once decided he never swerved from his course. For more than twenty years he has been before the public eye as an aggressive political force.

THE ROOSEVELT HOMESTEAD.

After President Roosevelt's inaugural near Oyster Bay, N. Y. as an ideal country seat, and the Roosevelt family is a very old one in the neighborhood. The house is large, homelike and unassuming, quite unpretentious. It crowns the very topmost peak of Sagamore Hill.

The approach to the house, through forest and meadow, is beautiful and refreshing in the extreme. But it is not until after one reaches the top of Sagamore hill that the full beauty of the magnificent panorama is revealed.

The view of the bay, the headlands, with the Long Island sound and the Connecticut coast stretching for miles and resting against the deep blue of the sea, is so restful, so altogether lovely, that it cannot soon fade from the memory.

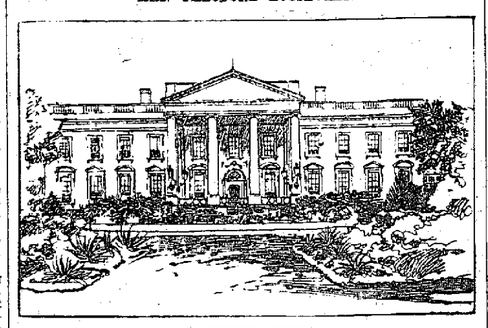
The library, which is a splendid room directly off the main hall, contains about 5,000 books. The interior is quite in keeping with the genuine book lover. A big open fireplace stretches across one end of the room. Above it is a magnificent display of the heads of deer, rams, antelopes, mountain sheep and other trophies of Colonel Roosevelt's skill as a hunter.

The floors are covered with rugs made of the skins of lions, bears, buffaloes and panthers, all victims of the vice president's gun. In fact the whole house is adorned with trophies of the chase.

Here it is that most of his books and articles, of which he has written many, were brought into being.

Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt is the most enthusiastic admirer and ardent helper of her husband in his political career. She is absorbed heart and soul in her husband's success, as she has been from the time they first knew each other as children. Mrs. Roosevelt, who before her marriage was Miss Edith Carow, possesses great intelligence, a remarkably fine judgment and a wonderful power of adapting herself and at the same time exerting a great influence. She is very pretty, slight, of medium height and has dark brown eyes and hair. She has not gone much into society since her marriage, as she has been more or less an invalid, and she has devoted herself entirely to her children and her home. She has five children of her own, and there is also a daughter by Mr. Roosevelt's first wife, a girl of seventeen, to whom Mrs. Roosevelt is the most devoted of mothers.

MRS. THEODORE ROOSEVELT.



THE WHITE HOUSE.

MRS. ROOSEVELT AND THE CHILDREN.

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QUENTIN ROOSEVELT.
(Head of the youngsters.)

Not until he became a private citizen on Sept. 15 would he talk of politics, and then he found the tide of events bearing him along inevitably and irresistibly.

The eighth stage of Roosevelt's career began with his assumption of the office of governor of New York state and the ninth with his inauguration as vice president of the United States March 4, 1901.

A tenth phase is just opening for him as the chief executive of the greatest nation in the world.

President Roosevelt's ancestry and his rearing and education, coupled with an excessively aggressive nature, manifested unmistakably even in his very early boyhood, seemed to presage for him a more than ordinary career.

ROOSEVELT'S ANCESTRY.

Theodore Roosevelt was born Oct. 27, 1858, in his father's house, 28 East Twentieth street, in New York city. In that quiet region around Gramercy park, the home of many families bearing names held in high honor and esteem, there was none bearing a name more highly honored and esteemed than the family into which Theodore Roosevelt was born. For six generations his forbears had been prominent as citizens of New York and distinguished in the councils of the city. His father, James J. Roosevelt, was alderman in 1828, 1829 and 1830, assemblyman from 1835 to 1840, congressman from 1841 to 1843 and supreme court justice from 1854 to 1860; his grandfather, James Roosevelt, who was a merchant, was assemblyman in 1799-07 and alderman in 1809; his great-grandfather, Cornelius C. Roosevelt, likewise a merchant, was alderman from 1786 to 1801; his great-great-grandfather, Cornelius Roosevelt, was alderman from 1758 to 1794; his great-great-great grandfather, John Roosevelt, also a merchant, was alderman from 1748 to 1767, and his great-great-great-great grandfather, Nicholas Roosevelt, was alderman of New York city in 1700-01.

Such was the life of the sturdy Dutch ancestors from whom Theodore Roosevelt inherited his name. But although his name is Holland Dutch Scotch, Irish and French Huguenot blood mingle in his veins in equal measure with that of his Dutch ancestors and accounts to no small extent for the personal qualities of the man, his energy and perseverance, his impulsive, not to say fiery, temperament and his vivacious mode of expression. With the impetus of family and the favorable material conditions in which he found himself as well as by the force of his own personality, Roosevelt might have advanced rapidly to any path he chose, whether it led toward brilliant social success or the making of a large fortune. That he chose a career of public service is characteristic of the man, the more so in that he saw in the course he had marked out for himself small chance of pecuniary remuneration and a struggle for principle that might jeopardize those rewards that are the politician's. Once decided he never swerved from his course. For more than twenty years he has been before the public eye as an aggressive political force.

THE ROOSEVELT HOMESTEAD.

After President Roosevelt's inaugural near Oyster Bay, N. Y. as an ideal country seat, and the Roosevelt family is a very old one in the neighborhood. The house is large, homelike and unassuming, quite unpretentious. It crowns the very topmost peak of Sagamore Hill.

The approach to the house, through forest and meadow, is beautiful and refreshing in the extreme. But it is not until after one reaches the top of Sagamore hill that the full beauty of the magnificent panorama is revealed.

The view of the bay, the headlands, with the Long Island sound and the Connecticut coast stretching for miles and resting against the deep blue of the sea, is so restful, so altogether lovely, that it cannot soon fade from the memory.

The library, which is a splendid room directly off the main hall, contains about 5,000 books. The interior is quite in keeping with the genuine book lover. A big open fireplace stretches across one end of the room. Above it is a magnificent display of the heads of deer, rams, antelopes, mountain sheep and other trophies of Colonel Roosevelt's skill as a hunter.

The floors are covered with rugs made of the skins of lions, bears, buffaloes and panthers, all victims of the vice president's gun. In fact the whole house is adorned with trophies of the chase.

Here it is that most of his books and articles, of which he has written many, were brought into being.

Mrs. Theodore Roosevelt is the most enthusiastic admirer and ardent helper of her husband in his political career. She is absorbed heart and soul in her husband's success, as she has been from the time they first knew each other as children. Mrs. Roosevelt, who before her marriage was Miss Edith Carow, possesses great intelligence, a remarkably fine judgment and a wonderful power of adapting herself and at the same time exerting a great influence. She is very pretty, slight, of medium height and has dark brown eyes and hair. She has not gone much into society since her marriage, as she has been more or less an invalid, and she has devoted herself entirely to her children and her home. She has five children of her own, and there is also a daughter by Mr. Roosevelt's first wife, a girl of seventeen, to whom Mrs. Roosevelt is the most devoted of mothers.

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MR. ROOSEVELT'S OYSTER BAY HOME.

Secrets of Coffee Making.

Experiment has disclosed the fact that one fourth of a teaspoonful of cinnamon strength vanilla added to each cup of coffee before serving is sufficient for four persons to improve the flavor 100 per cent. The secret of perfect coffee is enough vanilla to cover the cinnamon flavor, yet not enough to be noticed.

A pinch of salt in coffee adds to the flavor. Salt accents the flavor of coffee just as it does that of every other food. Many do not know until recently that a pinch of salt in some mysterious way stimulates the mellow aroma which is the soul of Mocha and Java. Others add a little salt to every morning in a covered dish and keep in constant motion over the fire. A pinch of salted butter added after the boiling process is begun gives it an indescribable flavor as delightful as it is subtle.

The French, too, have made a reputation for excellent coffee by roasting butter while roasting it. A piece of butter the size of a walnut, with a tablespoonful of powdered sugar to three pounds of green coffee, is the proportion used. This is said to bring out both flavor and aroma and to relieve gives the slight caramel taste which tourists rejoice to find in the joyful beverage that is France's gift to Eat

Women as Doctors.

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Republican Ticket.

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B. H. HALL, M. D.,
of Bradford.

FOR COUNTY AUDITOR,
B. G. BARTLE,
of Port Allegany.

William McKinley, Dead.

President William McKinley died at the home of John G. Milburn, Delaware avenue, Buffalo, N. Y., at fifteen minutes past two o'clock, Saturday morning, September 14, 1901.

Sunday the body of our beloved President laid in state at City Hall, Buffalo, where it was viewed by thousands of people. Monday morning a funeral train carried the remains and many sorrowing friends to Washington, D. C., arriving at the Capital city the same evening.

Plain but impressive funeral ceremonies were held at the Capitol Tuesday and then the body was taken to Canton, Ohio, where the last sad rites are being held over our martyred President to day and the remains will be laid at rest this afternoon.

In the death of William McKinley the people of the United States have lost a firm, just, patriotic and merciful ruler. As President Major McKinley has won the heart of every loyal citizen of the United States and he has also gained the respect and admiration of the whole civilized world.

In his first term he faced the trying situation of a war with proud old Spain and safely guided the government in its sudden development into a world power. Congress was ever ready to confer upon him more power than he was willing to assume. "Let McKinley work out the problem," was frequently the attitude of congress.

His plain, honest and frank manner brought all classes to regard him as a personal friend, and he was respected and trusted by his political opponents more than any other President with the possible exception of Washington. His guiding hand has been of untold help to the nation and his example will be an everlasting element of national strength.

Never during his suffering did he express anything but pity for the wretch responsible for his death, and his last words were: "It is God's way. Let His will be done."

YELLOW JOURNALISM is the baby food for anarchism.

THE seekers for county offices this fall are making a very still hunt thus far.

FRIENDS of Mrs. McKinley fear that she will break down after the funeral and it is thought she will not survive her martyred husband long.

BARMAIDS in Hungary are required to be 40 years old. The authorities are doing much for the temperance cause in that country, says the Bradford Star.

CZOLGOSZ was indicted on Monday last by the grand jury at Buffalo of the crime of murder in the first degree. His case will be brought on for trial on Monday next. It is claimed that insanity will be his defence.

PRESIDENT ROOSEVELT has done the one thing that could restore perfect confidence in the present crisis and that is to assure the people that the policies of our late President will be carried out as near as is within his power. With this assurance and the co-operation of the public there is no reason for a break in our present business prosperity.

IN answer to a query of a Philadelphia paper whether Hon. Joseph C. Sibley favored excluding anarchists from this country Mr. Sibley said: "I certainly favor legislation forbidding the entrance of anarchists to our country, and further shall favor legislation deporting such as are aliens and the punishment as traitors of those who plot for the overthrow of our Government."

A NUMBER of our exchanges have said that Governor Stone had appointed Hon. Arthur G. Olmsted president judge of Potter county and Hon. Thomas A. Morrison president judge of McKean county, which is a slight error. Governor Stone, on account of a clerical error in the new act, appointed Judge Olmsted as stated but in the case of Judge Morrison he issued a commission to him for the balance of the term for which he was elected. Had Judge Morrison been appointed it could have only been until his successor could be elected.

ACCORDING to a calculation made by the St. Louis Globe-Democrat it is estimated that $1,000,000,000 in gold from the mines will be added to the wealth of the United States this year. By the beginning of 1902 the Treasury will have on hand $550,000,000 in gold, and the whole stock of gold in the United States will not be far from $1,200,000,000. These figures are calculated to steady those who are nervous over the partial failure of a single crop. These are other harvests in this country than those of the field. American manufacturing industries were never in better shape and the business of transportation is in the same flourishing condition. During the first six months of the present year the United States sold to Great Britain nearly $350,000,000 worth of commodities, while our purchases from Great Britain during the same time amounted to only $55,000,000. In dealing with the British alone the balance in our favor will exceed $100,000,000.

M'KINLEY

His Rise From Schoolteacher to President.

Sketch of the Career of the Third Chief Executive of the United States to Fall Victim to the Assassin's Bullet.

THE LATE WILLIAM M'KINLEY.

Long and honorable was the public career of William McKinley. It extended from the time when, as a mere stripling, he held sway in a log cabin country school to the tragic moment when, as chief executive of the nation, he was felled by the assassin's bullet. During all that time his record suffered neither blot nor blemish. He was tested as a soldier, as a lawyer, as a politician, as a statesman, as the head of the nation. In each case he stood the test.

In private life he began by being a manly boy, a dutiful and obedient son. He continued as a faithful and loving husband, one whose example has had its good effect on the national character. His life was typically American, the life of an American of the best type. And through it all he was a patriot. Above personal ambition were over in his mind his country and his country's good.

William McKinley came from that dominant race that has furnished this nation with some of its greatest soldiers and statesmen. He was Scotch-Irish by descent, and his ancestors immigrated to this country early enough to have sons who took a patriotic part in the war of the Revolution.

McKinley as a Boy.

The family removed from Pennsylvania to Ohio in 1814, and from that day has been identified with that state not in a great public way, but simply as faithful and devoted citizens, not striving for particular eminence, but notable for sturdiness of character and integrity.

It was among such people and of them that William McKinley was born at Niles, in Trumbull county, O., Feb. 20, 1844.

A younger son, he was destined by his father, after whom he was named, for the bar. He was educated at the public schools, and later entered Allegheny college at Meadville, Pa., teaching school to pay his tuition fees. Scarcely was he matriculated when the civil war came on. He was but a stripling of nineteen when he entered as a private.

M'KINLEY AS A BREVET MAJOR.

McKinley, as those who remember him as a boy in Poland, O., declare, was a real boy, full of fun, loving athletic sports, fond of horses and hunting and fishing and all outdoor exercise, and yet at 15 we find him taking upon himself a serious view of life. The church records show that in 1858, when he was hardly 15, he united with the Methodist Episcopal church of Poland.

McKinley's father was an iron manufacturer and a pioneer in that business. William was his third son, the eldest being David, the second James and the youngest Abner.

McKinley's mother was alert and vigorous, mentally and physically, up to the time of her death, which occurred when she was nearly ninety years of age.

Major McKinley's home life was very happy despite the fact that his wife was an invalid. Mrs. McKinley was Miss Ida Saxton, daughter of James and Mary Saxton of Canton, O. She received an excellent education when a girl, spent some time abroad and became her father's assistant in his bank, where it was said that her fair face attracted bouquets and bank notes to the window. "She must be trained," said her father, "to buy her own bread if necessary, and not to sell herself to matrimony."

As a Husband.

She had many suitors, but Major McKinley, then a rising young lawyer, vanquished all rivalry, removed the young woman from the cashier's window and won from honest James Saxton these words when the hand of the daughter was gained:

"You are the only man I have ever known to whom I would intrust my daughter."

Mrs. McKinley always assisted her husband in politics. Her ill health in nowise deterred her from enjoying the political honors he won, nor did it prevent her from being a wise counselor. Her presence time and again served as an inspiration to her husband. When political preferment first came to McKinley, it was his wife who convinced him that he should accept. She believed implicitly in his talents, and that his service would be for the good of the state she was certain. She never wavered in her faith in her husband's convictions.

Mrs. McKinley had confidence in her husband not only as a public official.

MRS. M'KINLEY.

They congratulated him. He found when he was made colonel of the regiment. Later, after Antietam, he was made a second lieutenant, and the Mahoning county boy had risen from the ranks.

M'KINLEY AT BEGINNING OF HIS LEGAL CAREER.

He was now to all effects and purposes a trained veteran. He had had his baptism in blood at Carnifex Ferry. He had gone through the fall campaign of Virginia campaigns and battles—South Mountain and Antietam had been fought and won by the blood of his comrades—with shoulder straps won on the field of battle. He was recommended for promotion by Rutherford B. Hayes, then major general, and was duly appointed major by President Lincoln. He was mustered out of the volunteer service July 26, 1865.

The present rank of brevet major general was conferred by President Lincoln March 13, 1865, and was confirmed by the senate March 3, 1869.

Major McKinley then began the practice of law in Canton, O., forming a partnership with Judge Glidden, which was dissolved when Judge Glidden was elected to the supreme bench of Ohio. Major McKinley was then alone in the practice of his profession until 1869, when he formed a partnership with Judge Day, which was dissolved when Judge Day was appointed to the United States district court by President Arthur. Major McKinley then practiced alone until 1871, when he formed a partnership with Judge Belden, which was dissolved when Judge Belden was elected to the supreme bench of Ohio. Major McKinley then practiced alone until 1876, when he formed a partnership with Judge Day, which was dissolved when Judge Day was appointed to the United States district court by President Arthur. Major McKinley then practiced alone until 1878, when he formed a partnership with Judge Day, which was dissolved when Judge Day was appointed to the United States district court by President Arthur. 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McKinley as a Lawyer.

He carried the musket for fourteen months; then he was promoted. But he won his promotion honestly. His comrades of the rank and file bear testimony to the fact that he was a good soldier; that he performed every duty devolving upon him with fidelity and intelligence and without ostentation.

When the year found McKinley just twenty-two. He was full of youth

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Washington Letter.

WASHINGTON, Sept. 16, 1901.

The suspense of the past week is ended. President McKinley is dead. All day, during the illness of the President, flags were at half mast and the cities draped with black and framed pictures of the President are to be seen everywhere. An visible signs of mourning there is somehow an air of unreality about the whole thing. It does not until the day of the state funeral will Washington fully realize that the familiar and genial presence of William McKinley has vanished forever from its streets. It may be that the actual realization of the tragedy has been less vivid here than in other cities, for the news, flashing over the wires, has as yet scarcely affected the memories which practically everyone in the city has of the dead President. He was one of the men who seemed destined to go through life without being overtaken by accident. His whole career was so natural, so orderly in its development that his sudden taking off by the bullet of an assassin was one of the last things his friends had thought of as likely. It appeared far more probable that after two terms of honorable service as chief magistrate of the nation, he would retire to his home at Canton to enjoy a peaceful and well earned quiet in his old age. But it was not to be.

Old residents here are inevitably comparing the scenes of to-day with those which followed the assassination of Garfield. At that time the city was thrown into a wild excitement, and all sorts of rumors were flying about. To day there is little if any excitement there has been little during the past week. The dominant feeling is grief, and even that is subdued rather than demonstrative.

It is, of course, to be expected that the possible course of Mr. McKinley's successor will occupy much of the attention of the public. While not so well known here, personally, as the late President, Roosevelt is too thoroughly a national character not to be familiar to every Washingtonian. There is room for much speculation as to his views and actions during the next three years. Perhaps no two men are radically different in temperament as Roosevelt and McKinley ever occupied place on the same ticket. It is one of those historical combinations which seem to have been fated by the beginning of a new epoch. McKinley was eminently practical, politic, and conservative—an enemy if he could help it. Roosevelt is bold, impetuous, frank and never hesitates to take an enemy rather than give up what he believes right. Curiously enough, these two men, both conscientious, both earnest, both devoted to the welfare of the country as they understood it, are said practically the same thing of view on the main political problems of the age, and it was this which made it possible for them to occupy respectively the positions of President and Vice President. It is this, too, which makes the question of Roosevelt's future action so interesting. With most people undoubtedly there is a will make some radical departure from the policy laid down by his predecessor, it is quite possible that the public questions are even now settled. He will certainly have his own views of right and "policy" when he assumes duty. But of the press of affairs and the necessity for support [illegible] made very [illegible] by Mr. [illegible]

[illegible] will be [illegible] party [illegible] Secretary Hay, who is a sick [illegible] much broken since the death of his son. Should Mr. Hay resign, as it is thought he is anxious to do, the filling of his place would be a matter of very interesting speculation. The [illegible] Republicans of prominence who stand nearest President Roosevelt are Senators Lodge, Wolcott and Depew. The chief objection to Wolcott would be geographical, for there are certain political laws which forbid the choosing of a Secretary of State from Colorado. There is also a good political reason against Depew, as in '04 Roosevelt and Root, is from New York and a New York Cabinet would not help the President much if he were [illegible] candidacy for reelection. Although Senator Depew is very willing besides a humorist, his appointment to a position of this sort would also, perhaps, give too much opportunity to Democratic carpetbaggers. This leaves Senator Lodge the most eligible candidate of the three, and he is a man of Roosevelt's own set, the scion of inherited traditions and literary ability, who, so far as politics from convictions. Lodge as Secretary of State would remind a good many people of Lowell's career as Minister to England, and that was successful. Secretary Root is a good friend of Roosevelt, and also perhaps the best available man for the place, for political reasons might possibly force him out. Secretary Wilson would [illegible] where he is, he is a western man, which is good, and the best Secretary of Agriculture the Department has had in a long time, and that is faster. Secretary Long's relations with Roosevelt are rather problematical, and will continue to be so till after the decision of the Schley Sampson case. Mr. Long has not had any quarrel with the President—he seldom, if ever, quarrels with anybody—but it is possible that internal dissensions in the Department might make trouble between them or that the clamor of political opponents against alleged Department methods might force Mr. Long's resignation.

The only important thing which has as yet happened in the Schley Court of Inquiry is the resignation of Admiral Thomson and the selection of Admiral Rodgers. Admiral Rodgers, retired, for the second time. It is said that Admiral Rodgers is sorry to be relieved of the duties and that Admiral Rodgers is competent to fulfill it. He served as Admiral Sampson's Superintendent of the Naval Academy and [illegible] the difficulty by the firmness of good judgment in suppressing a [illegible] rebellion. It was that the same nature as the late trouble at West Point.

The Maryland Union League Club has expelled Senator Wellington for his utterances at the time of President McKinley's assassination. Many Southern papers are urging that he be also expelled from their midst. Meanwhile Mark Hanna is advertising as much as they can the fact that Washington and Washington society are not to be considered as Southern.

Secretary Cortelyou [illegible] his offer of $1 [illegible] dollars with [illegible] bonds, to relieve as far as [illegible] stringency of the money market. The Treasury people had some bonds [illegible] the other day over there [illegible] Point. Will it be [illegible] Secretary Gage [illegible] municipal bonds to the amount of ten million dollars. Secretary Gage seemed to think that a New York bond [illegible] better.

The Law of Presidential Succession.

The number of inquiries upon the subject which have reached the office suggest the utility of an article explaining some information on the subject of the law of the Presidential succession, says the Philadelphia Inquirer. At the time [illegible] was signed for some years after the Presidential office passed to the Vice President and from him to the Speaker of the House of Representatives, and further than that no provision had been made. This was changed so as to make the Secretary of State the first in succession, and in 1886, at the first session of the Forty ninth Congress, a law was enacted which provided that the succession should be from the Vice President to the members of the Cabinet as follows:

Secretary of State.
Secretary of the Treasury.
Secretary of War.
Attorney General.
Postmaster General.
Secretary of the Navy.
Secretary of the Interior.

At the time this law was passed there was no such officer as Secretary of Agriculture, and whether the succession would extend to him by construction is a moot point. So far, however, as Secretary Wilson is concerned, it is immaterial, as he [illegible] born on alien would be ineligible anyhow. It has been asked what become of the office of Vice President when its incumbent succeeds to the Presidency. The answer is that it falls temporarily into abeyance. There [illegible] to be any Vice President. His only active function is to preside over the deliberations of the Senate and [illegible] decisive upon the [illegible] of that body pro tem., who at this time is Senator William P. Frye of Maine.

SENATOR WELLINGTON of Maryland, the fanatic who said the shooting of President McKinley was justifiable, should be tarred and feathered and then taken out and hung upon the nearest lamp post.

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NEW AUTUMN MILLINERY.

We have just received an elegant line of new ready to wear hats, the latest thing out and just what you want.

Prices Very Reasonable.

Now closing out all straw hats below cost.

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Cements — Newels
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J. C. Hamlin.

McKean County Miner

Entered at the postoffice at Smethport as second-class mail matter.

SMETHPORT, THURSDAY, SEPT. 19, 1901.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

—See change in Redfield's ad.

—Note change in ad of Anderson & Carlson.

—Sheriff Clarke has something to say in another column.

—Fry & Herzog have an interesting new ad in this issue.

—Read announcement of opening of new store of Max Schooler.

—Two murder cases are being tried at Coudersport, Potter county, this week.

—Port Allegany is to have a curfew law, the council having passed an ordinance to that effect recently.

—A. E. Stickles, the Old Man Racket, has a new ad in this issue. Everybody knows his ads are always interesting.

—Nearly every business place in town is draped in mourning on account of the death of our beloved president, William McKinley.

—About 150 of our citizens went to Larabee Monday and saw the funeral train as it went through on its way to Washington.

—As chairman of music for this afternoon's memorial services Dr. McCoy urges all singers to be present and help in the singing.

—The McKean County G. A. R. Association that was to have been held in this borough on Sept. 26, has been postponed until next year.

—The Hotel Edgett was sold yesterday to George Dotterweich of Olean, at administrators' sale; Consideration not stated.—Bradford Era.

—M. R. Dutton, the well-known job printer of this city, has accepted a position at Smethport, where he will hereafter reside.—Bradford Era.

—John P. Sigg of Newerf has a large ad on merchant tailoring this week. He is agent for the Royal Tailors of Chicago and if you need a suit give him a call.

—Letters remaining in the postoffice for week ending Sept. 14, 1901: O. H. Bassett, A. L. Bartlett, Mrs. Gilford Baker, Mrs. W. M. Brandow, Edward Frantz, Burt Frisbee, Jno. Holland, C. Nelson.

—Fred Andrews and Miss Lottie McNally, both of Hutchinsborough, were united in marriage at Ansonia, N. Y., on Monday, Sept. 16, 1901. Both are well known and popular young people of this borough and the MINER extends congratulations.

—The case of diphtheria in town has brought more forcibly to the notice of many citizens the condition of some of our sewers and ditches. The proper persons should waste no time in cleaning up these places. It will be best for all concerned to do this work without delay.

—Two parties in this place who were more or less under the influence of that which inebriates had their pockets picked Thursday night last while sleeping. One claimed to have lost about $30 and the other about $15, a watch and other articles in his possession. There is no clue as to who did the "trolling."

—Indignant because Co. F, 9th Regt., N. G. P., had postponed its banquet at Wilkesbarre on account of the death of President McKinley, Corporal Hiram Wentz cursed the President. He was immediately set upon by the other members and badly beaten. He is to be court-martialed as soon as he recovers.

—On account of the death of President McKinley the convention of the Pennsylvania State League of Republican Clubs, which was to have been held at Scranton on September 17 and 18, has been indefinitely postponed. Arrangements for reduced rates to Scranton via the Pennsylvania railroad on this account have been canceled.

—Christopher Graham, aged about 68 years, died at the poor farm on Friday last. He had been an inmate of this institution over seven years and his death was due to a general breaking down. Rev. J. H. McCandless held a prayer over the remains on Sunday and he was laid at rest in Rose Hill cemetery Monday afternoon.

—One of our exchanges says: Somebody is going about the country from house to house asking to see the life insurance policies held by the people where he calls. He represents himself as an inspector for this or that company and offers to take the old policy, pay the holder a certain sum by check from the office and issue a new policy. There is always a small fee to be collected which the fellow always gets in advance.

—H. A. Button received a message yesterday stating that two men—Arvil Slade of this borough and J. H. Peterson of Clermont—employed by him in the construction of a church at St. Marys, dropped side an elevator which broke from its fastenings and rushed to the cellar—a distance of sixty feet. The message did not state to what extent the men were injured, but it is feared that the accident will have fatal results.—Coudersport Enterprise.

—The open season in this state is as follows: Deer, during November; duck, September 1 to May 1; wild turkey, October 15 to December 15; grouse or pheasant, October 15 to December 15; woodcock, October 15 to December 15; hare or rabbit, November 1 to December 15; squirrels, October 15 to December 15; trout, April 15 to July 31; black bass, June 15 to February 15; wall-eyed pike or Susquehanna salmon, June 15 to February 15; pike, pickerel or muscallonge, June 1 to February 15.

—Bradford is unfortunate in having a few, but luckily very few, bologs who exult over the death of our President. However, Bradford deals with them in the proper way. On Monday one of these things was knocked down in that city by an old soldier for making insulting remarks in regard to Mr. McKinley, and the same evening George Eckert of East Bradford was hung and burned in effigy for the same cause. He has made himself conspicuous by his absence since and when he appears he is promised a coat of tar and feathers by indignant citizens of that part of the city.

—Odin H. Goodsell of Salamanca, N. Y., and Mrs. Elida Mae Chase, nee Miss Burnham, of East Smethport were married at the home of the bride's parents, Mr. and Mrs. C. D. Comes, on Tuesday, Sept. 17, 1901. The bride is the eldest daughter of Mrs. C. D. Comes and is a popular and charming young lady in this place. Mr. Goodsell is also well known here, he having been connected with the mercantile firm of Stickney, Ritchey & Co. in this place for a number of years. At present he is in the mercantile business in Salamanca. The MINER with a host of friends extends congratulations and wishes the happy couple uninterrupted happiness through life.

—Tuesday was a lively day in our staid old town and Officer Welch was kept busy. In the morning he was called to the vicinity of the upper glass works where an exciting free-for all was in progress and arrested the ringleader, who spent twenty-four hours in the lockup. Early in the evening two brothers became engaged in a fight and only escaped spending the night in the lockup by the earnest pleadings of their sister to the officer to leave them go. Shortly after this Thos King was arrested for wife-beating and spent the night in the bastile. Owing to the non-appearance of his wife yesterday morning he was allowed to go on the payment of $3 50 and costs.

—The Clearfield Raftsman's Journal has discovered the fact that every subscriber on its books by the name of "Johnston" pays cash promptly, and concludes from this that the Johnston family has a distinguishing trait of character called honesty. The Journal further says: A newspaper office is a barometer to the integrity of man. Show me a man who pays his subscription to his family paper promptly and I will show you a man who can secure a certificate of honesty from his neighbors without any trouble. Show me a man who will receive statement after statement from the publisher of the paper, receive it, read it and never pay up his dues for the same and I will show you a man whose neighbors hesitate to sell him flour or feed on his promise to pay.

—Mrs. Kate Lunden Sunderlin will speak in Smethport Sunday, Sept. 22nd. She is a Swedish lady and a national lecturer in the W. C. T. U. Full notice and particulars will be given next week.

—The anthems at St. Luke's church next Sunday will be a trio, "My God, My Father, While I Stray," in the morning, and "By Babylon's Wave," by Gounod, in the evening. The Rev. Mr. Little of Deland, Fla., will officiate during the rector's absence.

—Three Port Allegannians were in close proximity to the attack on the president's life at Buffalo last Friday. They are Miss Rose Vanderhule and niece, Miss Alice Vanderhule, and Victor Titus. The latter was scarcely ten feet away and was among those who were retained by the police after the shooting.—Reporter.

—Miss Alice Thamm was very agreeably surprised Tuesday evening at her home on Mechanic street by a few of her friends, the occasion being the young lady's birthday. Cards formed the diversion of the evening and refreshments were served. At a late hour the guests departed wishing Miss Thamm many more such pleasant occasions.

—The Oil City Derrick was thirty years old on Wednesday of last week. The Derrick is one of the best papers published in the oil region and may it continue to prosper.

—The selections of the organ recital at the Methodist church this evening will be in harmony with the spirit of the day. Mr. Seymour, who gives the recital, is a brilliant organist.

—On Wednesday of last week Lee Bailey of Bradford, aged 16 years, a porter at the Hotel Holley, and Miss Jennie E. Wilcox of Olean, aged 14, were married at Boardmanville, N. Y.

—Memorial services in honor of our late President will be held at 2 o'clock this afternoon in the court house and the general public are urged to attend this last tribute to our dead martyr.

—Free tuition and the adoption of a most liberal policy toward students by the management of the Clarion State Normal school, have resulted in the addition of a large number of students.

—Next Sunday the Methodist people will worship in their new auditorium for the first time. The Lord's Supper will be celebrated in the morning and the pastor will preach in the evening.

The Funeral Train.

Larabee, Sept. 17 (Special)—Monday at 10:56 a. m. the train bearing the remains of our beloved President passed through here on its way to the national capital.

For some time previous to its arrival people from the outlying regions commenced to congregate in the vicinity of the depot. From the Larabee and Clermont branch and the P., S. & N. something like 200 came, and all with their minds centered upon the one subject—the man whose noble Christian life and paternal interest in the welfare of the nation had endeared him to every human heart of our civilized world.

At 10:45 a pilot engine passed along the right, seeing that all instructions (rules, etc., had been obeyed. Swiftly and without the sound of bell or whistle it passed, and fifteen minutes later came the funeral train, consisting of seven Pullman cars, and drawn by an engine heavily and beautifully draped in mourning, while rosettes and festoons fluttered here and there from the sides of the coaches, the first two of which were filled with representatives of the press. The next two, the Waldorf and Naples, were set aside for senators, while the Hungary contained President Roosevelt and the cabinet. In the Olympia, which was next in line, was Mrs. McKinley and her party, and the last, the Pacific, the one upon which all thoughts were centered, contained all that was mortal of him for whom a nation mourns.

This was an observation car, divided into coach and drawing room. The former was toward the front and in it rode the guard of honor. In the latter section was the deceased President, resting upon a black draped bier and covered with flowers and the red, white and blue folds of the flag he loved. The interior walls of the car were completely covered with white flowers.

Silently the people stared while the cortege passed and on each feature was plainly expressed the sorrow that the heart could not hold.

The train started from the central station at Washington at 8:15 a. m. and arrived in Washington at 4:30 p. m. The only stops were made to take on water for the engine, and the sound of bell or whistle were not heard during the whole journey.

Resolutions of Respect.

Smethport, Pa., Sept 18, 1901.

Whereas, The life of William McKinley, the chief executive of the United States, has been taken by the hand of a despicable assassin; and

Whereas, The entire civilized world mourns the death of our President; and

Whereas, We understand that the mortal remains of President McKinley will be laid to rest at Canton, Ohio, on Thursday afternoon, September 19th, therefore be it

Resolved, That we, the citizens of Smethport, Pa., hereby express our sincere sorrow for the death of President McKinley and our earnest sympathy to Mrs. McKinley, and that we hereby recommend and request that all stores, shops, offices and business places in our borough be closed from 12 m. until 6 p. m. of Thursday, September 19th.

H. W. Rubin,
Dr. John Clark,
Dr. E. R. Baker.

Death of George Herzog, Sr.

George Herzog, Sr., died at his home in Farmers Valley on Wednesday, Sept. 21st. The cause was a general breaking down brought on by old age.

The subject of this sketch was born in Bavaria, Germany, in 1821 and would have been eighty years of age had he lived until next December. In 1848 he came to this country and immediately settled in McKean county where he has been a resident ever since. In 1848 he was married to Miss Margaret Dehn, who died in 18 7.

Mr. Herzog was the father of thirteen children, nine of whom, seven sons and two daughters, remain to mourn his loss. The sons are all residents of McKean county and the two daughters, Mrs. Mary Hazel and Mrs. Lena Speer, reside in Pittsburg.

The funeral was held at the late home last Friday, Rev. Dunbar officiating, and the interment was at Clermont.

A Good Thing.

German Syrup is the special prescription of Dr. A. Boschee, a celebrated German physician, and is acknowledged to be one of the most fortunate discoveries in Medicine. It quickly cures Coughs, Colds and all Lung troubles of the severest nature, reaching, as it does, the cause of the affection and leaving the parts in a strong and healthy condition. It is not an experimental medicine, but has stood the test of years, giving satisfaction in every case, which its rapidly increasing sale every season confirms. Two million bottles sold annually. Boschee's German Syrup was introduced in the United States in 1868, and is now sold in every town and village in the civilized world. Three doses will relieve any ordinary cough. Price 75 cts. Get Green's Prize Almanac.

For sale by H. C. Wells.

Pennsylvania Railroad Special Rates to Buffalo and Niagara Falls.

During the continuance of the Pan American Exposition, the Pennsylvania Railroad Company will sell excursion tickets from Smethport to Buffalo and Niagara Falls at the following rates:

	Buffalo	Niagara Falls
5 day limit, sold Tuesdays and Saturdays not good in parlor or Sleeping cars	$3.00	$3 50
15 day limit, good in parlor or sleeping cars	5 50	6 25
Season, final limit November 30, 1901	4 35	5 15

Additional information may be had upon application to ticket agents.

Cured of Chronic Diarrhoea After Thirty Years' Suffering.

"I suffered for thirty years with diarrhoea and thought I was past being cured," says John S. Hall, Jay of French Camp, Miss. "I had spent so much time and money and suffered so much that I had given up all hopes of recovery. I was so feeble from the effects of the diarrhoea that I could do no kind of labor, could not even travel, but by accident I was persuaded to find a bottle of Chamberlain's Colic, Cholera and Diarrhoea Remedy, and after taking several bottles, I am entirely cured of that trouble. I am so pleased with the result that I feel anxious that it be in the reach of all who suffer as I have." For sale by H. C. Wells, druggist.

The McKean County Miner at Atlantic City.

For the convenience of our readers who may visit Atlantic City this summer we have arranged to have the latest files of the MCKEAN COUNTY MINER always on file in the Philadelphia Inquirer's Seashore Bureau on Young's Pier at that popular resort. The Inquirer has, at great expense, fitted up commodious reading and writing rooms on Young's Pier where every attention will be shown its guests.

Estray Notice.

Came to the premises of the undersigned, at Farmers Valley, one cow with white back and tail; one muley two-year-old heifer, Jersey; one yearling heifer, red with white back. Owner may have the same by proving property and paying damages; otherwise they will be disposed of according to laws governing estrays. JOHN HEWITT.

Farmers Valley, Pa., Sept. 18, 1901.

Sunday Excursion to Bradford and Rock City.

Every Sunday during August and September the B., R. & K. Ry. will sell tickets from Smethport to Bradford and return at 75 cents, and to Rock City and return $1 each. Train leaves Smethport at 8:30 a. m. Returning, train arrives at Smethport at 6:30 p. m.

PERSONAL MENTION.

Geo. W. Mitchell visited Bradford Monday.

Mr. M. L. Brett spent Sunday in Bradford.

Col. Burt Olson had business in Bradford on Friday.

G. C. Choate returned to his duties in New York on Tuesday.

Mr. and Mrs. W. O. Herzog returned Saturday from the Pan-Am.

Mrs. S. C. Townsend of Lancaster, O., is visiting her sister, Mrs. F. W. Backus.

B. L. Knapp left Monday on a two weeks' visit in the New England states.

Mrs. Alta D. Clarke of Exeter, N. Y., is visiting her sister Mrs. B. D. Colegrove.

Mountford Green left Wednesday to enter Bucknell University at Lewisburg, Pa.

D. C. Young and son, Dr. F. R. Young, left Monday for a visit to the Pan-Am.

Leo L. Herzog returned Monday evening from a two weeks' visit at Buffalo and Jamestown.

Mr. and Mrs. W. V. Provin and Mr. and Mrs. A. L. Colegrove visited Coudersport on Monday.

Mrs. D. L. Forsythe, and Mrs. Eva Picard returned Saturday evening from the Pan-American.

Mrs. John T. O'Reilly and son, Robert, of Coudersport are in town visiting relatives and friends.

Harry Barber of New Castle, who has been visiting friends in town, left for the Pan-Am Tuesday.

Chas. McCoy and guest, James Elton, returned this week to their studies at St. Stephens college, On the Hudson, N. Y.

Miss Charlotte Bard, who has been home on her vacation, returned to her hospital duties in Washington on Saturday.

Alfred Ford of Pittsburg arrived Monday for a visit to his daughter, Mrs. Fisher. They are taking in the sights at Buffalo for a few days.

O. H. Tucker, who has been pending a few months with his wife in Smethport and Bradford, sails from New York today for Yucatan, Mexico.

Rev. J. H. McCandless and J. C. Hamlin left Monday morning for San Francisco. Rev. McCandless is a delegate to the triennial national convention of the Episcopal church. They will return in November.

A party all of young ladies came up from Smethport on Monday evening and took supper at the Commercial. They were chaperoned by Mrs. Redfield and we noticed the two Miss McCoys, Miss Bard, Miss Loring, Miss Gray and Miss Forrest.—Mt. Jewett News.

Correspondence.

FARMERS VALLEY

Dan Darby attended court last week.

John Beckham wheeled to Smethport last Saturday.

Joe McGill was calling on friends in Sartwell last Saturday.

Born, to Mr. and Mrs. August Smith last Wednesday, a boy.

Everal Spencer attended court at the county seat last week.

Mrs. A. Provin was a guest of Mrs. E. A. Smith last Wednesday.

Mrs. E. A. Smith has been having improvements made on her house.

Miss Grace Dickerson was the guest of Miss Nellie McGill last Friday.

Fred Brockham is home from Instanter where he has been spending a few weeks.

Annie Holmes and Anne Stratton made a business trip to Port Allegany last Friday.

Elder Bronson and wife of Frewsburg were calling on friends in the valley one day last week.

Mrs. Gertie Dickerson and daughter, Bennie have gone to Port Allegany where she will reside.

Mrs. Moss and children of Grimsby was visiting her parents, Mr. and Mrs. Lewis of this place last Sunday.

Mrs. Nellie Burgess and sister, Mrs. Davis, and children of Coleville were visiting friends in East Valley last Thursday.

Mrs. Orman Dickerson and family have returned to their home in Clermont where they have been spending a few days with relatives in this place.

The corn roast which was held in Reed Hollow last Saturday night was a grand success. There was a large attendance. There was a program for the evening which was carried out in a creditable manner. We hope this is not the last one this season in Reed Hollow.

Chamberlain's Cough Remedy a Great Favorite.

The soothing and healing properties of this remedy, its pleasant taste and prompt and permanent cures have made it a great favorite with people everywhere. It is especially prized by mothers of small children for colds, croup and whooping cough, as it always affords quick relief, and as it contains no opium or other harmful drug, it may be given as confidently to a baby as to an adult. For sale by H. C. Wells, druggist.

Sunday Rates and Special Train via B., R. & K. Ry.

Every Sunday during August and September the B., R. & K. Ry. will run a special train for Kane and Kinzua Bridge and intermediate stations, leaving Smethport at 11 a. m. Returning, arrive at Smethport at 6.30 p. m. Fare to Kinzua Bridge 100, Mt. Jewett 45c, Kane 95c

Cuts and Bruises Quickly Healed.

Chamberlain's Pain Balm applied to a cut, bruise, burn, scald or like injury will instantly allay the pain and will heal the parts in less time than any other treatment. Unless the injury is very severe it will not leave a scar. Pain Balm also cures rheumatism, sprains, swellings and lameness. For sale by H. C. Wells, Druggist.

Dynamite, fuse and caps at Holmes & Gilfillan's.

Max Schooler

of Oswayo, Pa.,

Will open a store in this place in the BACKUS BUILDING, Opposite the Court House, with a $16,000 stock of clothing, dry goods, gent's and ladies' furnishing goods, men's, ladies and children's shoes, rubber goods, hats and caps.

This store will be open in October.

Dissolution Notice.

Notice is hereby given that the partnership heretofore existing between F. H. Norris and T. E. Richmond of Smethport, McKean county, Pa., under the firm name of Norris & Richmond, expired on September 11th, A. D. 1901, by mutual consent. All debts owing to the said partnership are to be received by said F. H. Norris, to whom all demands on the said partnership are to be presented for payment.

T. E. RICHMOND,
F. H. NORRIS.

Smethport, Pa., Sept. 11, 1901.

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TITUSVILLE, PA.

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Complete course of English, German, French and Latin.

Private lessons in music, Stenography, Typewriting, Bookkeeping and other courses.

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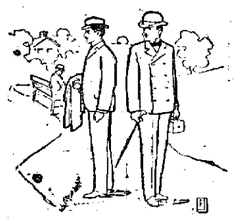

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A man passes for what he looks, just as a dollar passes for a hundred cents. To give yourself a hundred cent up-to- par appearance just put yourself inside one of our FALL SUITS.

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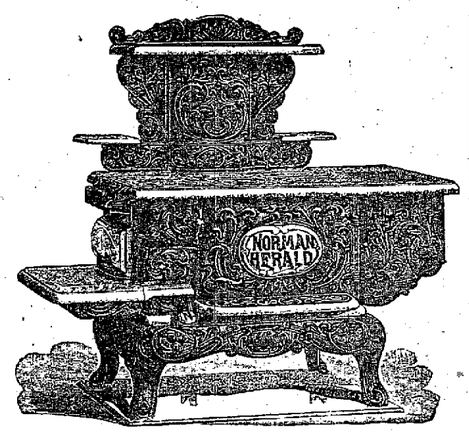

If you contemplate buying a stove, be it wood, coal or gas, for heating or cooking, we have it and less than the lowest city prices, too. Let us convince you.

Do not forget our stock of lumber, windows, doors and sash. If you are building, we name it all for you.

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Smethport, Pa. — McKean County.

WE NEED ROOM.

And for the next few weeks will be fussing with the masons and carpenters and to get as much of our stock as possible out of the dirt, we will, commencing

Monday, July 29th,

for two weeks make it an object for you to buy

Furniture, Carpets, Mantels

See **SLOAN** first,

Last and All the Time.

16 Main St. BRADFORD, PA.

Do Your Eyes Deceive You?

If so it is time you had them examined by a competent optician. I have had many years experience in diseases of the eye and can help you. Have your eyes fitted with glasses by a man who understands his business. . . . . .

Chas. H. Robie

Leading Jeweler & Optician,

122 N. Union Street, Olean, N. Y

SPECIAL!

We commence a special sale to-day of all our Spring and Summer

Suits and Pantaloons.

You know what this means when we advertise a sale of this kind. It is an immense saving to all those who are going to buy Clothing.

Suits that were $10 now go for $7.00
Suits that were 15 now go for 10.00
Suits that were $12 now go for $ 8.50
Suits that were 18 now go for 12.50
Suits that were $20 now go for $14.

These excellent bargains will prevail throughout our Pantaloon Department, also Boys' and Children's. We will give you the same careful attention at this big money saving sale as if you paid the regular prices. All goods sold that are advertised will be spot cash. We positively will not charge during this sale

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The Big Double Clothing Store.

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Of drugs and medicines do infinitely more harm than good. None but the very best are used in compounding prescriptions at this Pharmacy. We guarantee their absolute purity and strength and as a consequence our trade in this department is constantly increasing. Bring your next prescription to this store and prove the truth of our words.

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H. C. WELLS.

FRY & HERZOG

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We have collected some exceptionally worthy window hangings and place them before you at the same saving by which they came to our hands.

You will be liberally rewarded by attending to your curtain needs now.

Ruffled Curtains

Dotted Mull 40in x 3yds, per pair, $1.00
Dotted Mull 40in x 3yds, per pair, $1.25
Tucked Mull 40in x 2½yds, per pair, $1.25
Boddinnet 36in x 2½yds, per pair, $1.40
Bobbinnet 36in x 2½yds, per pair, $3 50

Nottingham Curtains

40in x 3yds, per pair. $ .85
54in x 3½yds, " " $1.40
60in x 3½yds, " " $2.50

Our complete line ranges in price from 85c to $9 50 per pair.

DRESSING SACQUES

Two very attractive style in eiderdown arrived this week.

They are in get up decidedly this fall's and are altogether very dainty and serviceable garments.

No. 1.
Plain colors, blue, pink, red, gray ribbon [illegible]
Price $ 75

No. 2.
Beautiful color combinations in stripes, blue and white and green and white and black, blue and gray and cream and black and gray, finished with silk and silk cord. Pink and blue ribbon fastening.
Price $ 75

Half Price Sale Summer Shirt Waists

We have a few left. It is our determination to close out every garment, hence a big saving to you.

The prices are cut in halves.

FRY & HERZOG.

A WOMAN WITH AN

to her best interest will not only inspect but buy of us the GROCERIES she needs.

We have the largest and best selected stock and always sell at the lowest prices. The following are some of the things you need and of which we have a fresh supply:

Bananas, Oranges, Pears, Plums, Peaches, Canteloupes, Watermelons, Lemons, Limes, Peas, Beans and all kinds of Vegetables.

We have the finest line of canned and bottled goods in the town.

The purity of our goods we warrant, the prices are as low as they can be made, consistent with good and pure goods,

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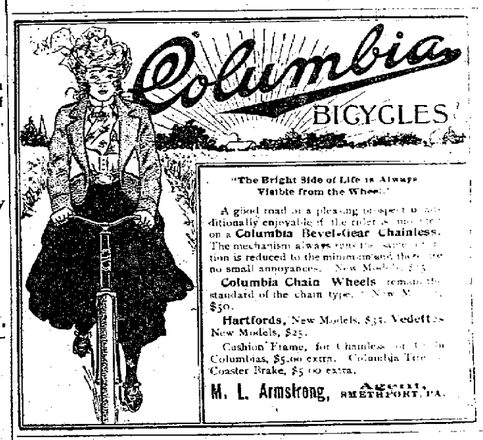
Goods Delivered.

Gallup Block — Smethport, Pa



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Cushion Frame, for Chainless or Chain Columbias, $5.00 extra. Columbia Two Coaster Brake, $5 00 extra.

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Come to us and we'll sell you an Outfit for $9.50 that we guarantee to be worth $12.05.

Your choice of any one $7.50 Suit
" " " " 2.00 Hat.
" " " " 1.00 Shirt.
" " " " .75 Underwear
" " " " .50 Tie.
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His Career From Its Humble Beginning In a Small Town to the Presidency of the United States.

As a lawyer Mr. McKinley was always thorough and careful in the preparation of cases. He had the confidence of everybody and soon became particularly prominent as an advocate. He prepared himself by thorough courses of reading for his public career. He resembled Garfield much in this respect and possessed elements of strength by reason of his thorough study of political subjects. He seems to have had in view from the beginning the devotion of his life to public service. During all his early professional years he was an active participant in Republican campaigns and early gave evidence of the power he later developed as a public speaker and orator. The plan of his political speaking was always the same. He first thoroughly mastered the subject in hand and then presented it forcibly.

Major McKinley was but thirty-three years old when he was elected by the people of his district to represent them in congress. There he soon made his mark and was returned at each subsequent election until that of 1890, in which year a change in the boundaries of his district defeated him by a majority of only 302.

As a Statesman.

While in congress he served on the committee on revision of laws, the judiciary committee, the committee on expenditures in the postoffice department and the committee on rules. When General Garfield received the nomination for the presidency, Mr. McKinley was assigned to the vacancy on the committee on ways and means. He served on the last mentioned committee until the expiration of his last term as representative. While chairman of this committee he framed the McKinley bill, which afterward became a law.

MR. M'KINLEY'S FATHER.

McKinley was a protege of ex-President Hayes, and up to the time of the latter's death he recognized the ex-president as his adviser and counselor. He was in General Hayes' regiment during the civil war. General Hayes knew him and his father well, and saw in the dashing young cavalier the germ of greatness. He needed a counselor, an adviser, a friend, and General Hayes watched over him with the filial love, devotion and pride of a father.

The war ended, McKinley still remained an object of hope, of interest and pride to General Hayes. McKinley became a candidate for congress and was elected. When Hayes was president, McKinley was in the house of representatives. The major was a frequent welcome visitor at the White House. One day the president gave McKinley advice, which made McKinley the foremost champion of a protective tariff. President Hayes thus spoke to the young representative:

"To achieve success and fame you must pursue a special line. You must not make a speech on every motion offered or bill introduced. You must confine yourself to one particular thing. Become a specialist. Take up some branch of legislation and make that your study. Why not take up the subject of tariff? Being a subject that will not be settled for years to come, it offers a great field for study and a chance for ultimate fame."

With these words ringing in his ears McKinley began studying the tariff and soon became the foremost authority on the subject.

The day upon which the "McKinley tariff bill" was passed in the house must always stand as the supreme moment of McKinley's congressional career. The bill, by adroit parliamentary generalship which had prevented it from being weighed down with amendments not approved by the committee, had been brought under the operation of the previous question. It stood complete, ready to go forth for good or evil. Upon McKinley devolved the task of smoothing its path and speeding it upon its way.

The McKinley Bill.

The occasion, thoroughly advertised, attracted to the capitol an immense throng. The galleries were one mass of humanity, and the anticipation of the vote had compelled the attendance of every member. As usual, McKinley spoke without notes. His voice, penetrating but not harsh, filled the chamber. Every sentence was distinctly heard. Never was an orator more free from the ordinary claptrap than McKinley. So true is this that the incident when he suddenly drew from beneath his desk the suit of clothes which he purchased for $10 at the establishment of a fellow representative in Boston, in order to demonstrate the cheapness of wearing apparel, stands out with vivid distinctness.

It was this earnestness and self conviction that made McKinley's address in the house and on the stump so effective. Indeed the occasion is still recalled when he held an audience of Georgia people for two hours at a Chautauqua assembly near Atlanta while he preached to them the glories of the protective tariff system. "It was only by the greatest self control," said the late Henry W. Grady, speaking of this event afterward, "that I restrained myself from rising as McKinley concluded his wonderful speech and declaring myself henceforth ready to follow him as a disciple."

James G. Blaine in his "Twenty Years of Congress" reviewed the Forty-fifth congress, in which McKinley first sat, as follows: "William McKinley, Jr., entered from the Canton district. He enlisted in an Ohio regiment when but 17 years old and won the rank of major by meritorious service. The interest of his constituency and his own bent of mind led him to the study of industrial questions, and he was soon recognized in the house as one of the most thorough statisticians and one of the ablest defenders of the doctrine of protection."

At a great mass meeting in Indianapolis several years ago the late ex-President Harrison was presiding officer. McKinley was one of the speakers, and Harrison introduced him as follows:

"He has endeared himself to all by his record as a gallant young soldier battling for the flag. He has honored himself, his state and the country by his conspicuous services in high legislative and executive places. No man more than he is familiar with the questions that now engage public thought. No man is more able than he lawfully to set them before the people. I do not need to invoke your attention to what he shall say. He will command it."

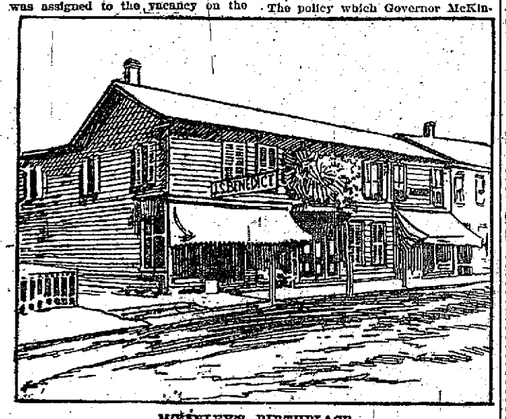
MR. M'KINLEY'S MOTHER.

The sentiment which resulted in the nomination of McKinley for governor of Ohio was engendered immediately upon the announcement of the result of the election of 1890, when after fourteen years' continuous service in congress the Ohio statesman was defeated for re-election.

As Governor and President.

During his gubernatorial campaign in 1893 McKinley visited eighty-six of the eighty-eight counties of Ohio and made 130 speeches. He was elected by a plurality of 80,995, up to that time the record in Ohio.

The policy which Governor McKinley pursued during his four years of occupancy of the gubernatorial chair was outlined when in his inaugural address he said, "It is my desire to cooperate with you in every endeavor to secure a wise, economical and honorable administration and, so far as can be done, the improvement and elevation of the public service."



M'KINLEY'S BIRTHPLACE.

From the day of his inauguration Governor McKinley took the greatest interest in the management of the public benevolent institutions of the state, and he made a study of means for their betterment. During his first term the state board of arbitration was created, and he made the workings of the board a matter of personal supervision during the entire four years of his administration.

No account of McKinley's connection with labor problems would be complete without some mention of the tireless energy which he displayed in securing relief for the 2,000 miners in the Hocking valley mining district who early in 1895 were reported out of work and destitute. The news first came to the governor one night at midnight, but before 5 o'clock in the morning he had upon his own responsibility dispatched to the afflicted district a car containing $1,000 worth of provisions. Later he made appeals for assistance and finally distributed among the 2,732 families in the district clothing and provisions to the amount of $32,700.95.

McKinley's nomination and election to the presidency in 1896, the stirring events of 1897, culminating in 1898 in the war with Spain, and the acquisition for the first time in this country's history of foreign territory by conquest as well as his re-election, with Theodore Roosevelt as his running mate, in 1900 are events of too recent occurrence to require more than passing mention. With the circumstances surrounding his death, resulting from the bullet of an assassin, fired while Mr. McKinley was receiving at the Pan-American exposition, and his gallant but unsuccessful fight for life the public is but too painfully familiar.

M'KINLEY'S HOME, CANTON.

Peasant Costumes in Ireland.

A certain number of peasants in the wilder and remoter districts of Ireland still wear something like a national costume. About Lough Mask plenty of the lasses are to be seen in picturesque red petticoats that artists loved to bring into their sketches of Irish life. A sprinkling of the old high hats may be seen. The older fishermen wear them, but the younger school slum such antiquated headgear, as the English peasant of today does the smock frock.—London Express.

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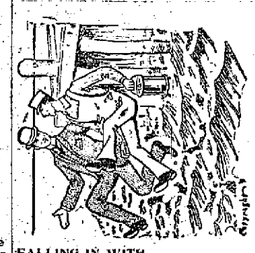

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NOTICE.

THE FOLLOWING ACCOUNTS OF ADMINISTRATORS, Executors and Guardians, having been settled in the office of the Register this same will be presented, for confirmation, at an Orphans' Court to be held at Smethport, in and for the county of McKean and State of Pennsylvania, on the first Monday of December, A. D. 1901:

First and final account of James Higgins and Ann McDonald, Executors of the last Will and Testament of Patrick McDonald, deceased.

First and final account of Lydia Hackett, Executrix of the last Will and Testament of M. K. Hackett, deceased.

First and final account of John F. McFadden, Administrator of the estate of Lucy Ann McCutcheon, deceased.

First and final account of James Somerville, Administrator of the estate of Harriet M. Dalton, deceased.

First and final account of Caroline Pattison, Administratrix of the estate of Charles Pattison, deceased.

First and final account of S. H. Hazeldine, Administrator of the estate of Elmer L. Bova, deceased.

First and final account of W. M. Wiles, Administrator of the estate of William C. Spencer, deceased.

First and partial account of Victor Johnson, Administrator of the estate of John Johnson, deceased.

First and final account of Thomas H. Wallace, Administrator of the estate of Noah Wilson, deceased.

First and final account of O. J. Spencer, Administrator of the estate of William Harris, deceased.

First and final account of Mary Sullivan, Administratrix of the estate of Thomas P. Ryan, deceased.

First and final account of E. W. Wagner, Administrator of the estate of C. D. Ross, deceased.

First and final account of James N. Duffy, Guardian of Mary Kathleen Duffy, minor child of James N. Duffy, jr., deceased.

First and final account of Eugene M. Heagney, Guardian of Irene McGarvin, minor child of J. H. McGarvin, deceased.

Final account of David Howells, Guardian of Emil Peterson, minor child of Charles Peterson, deceased.

Final account of David Howells, Guardian of Ida Peterson, minor child of Charles Peterson, deceased.

Final account of J. R. Goodenough, Guardian of Mary Ward, minor child of Thomas Ward, deceased.

GEORGE W. MAYHEW, Register.
H. M. CHOATE, Deputy.
Smethport, Pa., Sept. 9th, 1901.

Notice in Divorce.

A. D. No. 152, February Term, 1901.

MCKEAN COUNTY, ss: THE COMMONWEALTH of Pennsylvania to the sheriff of said county, greeting:

Whereas, Wayne V. Mason did, on the 26th day of January, 1901, prefer his petition to our said Judges of the said Court of Common Pleas of said county, praying for the causes therein set forth he might be divorced from the bonds of matrimony entered into with Wayne V. Mason:

We therefore command you, the said Elbe E. Mason, that setting aside all other business and excuses whatsoever, you be and appear in your proper person before our Judges at Smethport, at a Court of Common Pleas there to be held for the county of McKean, on the first Monday of the next to answer the petition or libel of Wayne V. Mason and show cause, if any you have, why the said Wayne V. Mason, your husband, should not be divorced from the bonds of matrimony, agreeably to the Acts of Assembly in such cases made and provided. Hereof fail not.

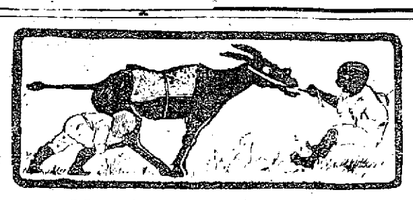
A true copy.

WILLIAM B. CLARKE,
Sheriff's Office, Smethport, Pa., Sept. 9, 1901.

Advertisement.

Notice is hereby given that the petition of The J. G. Curtis Leather Company, with its principal office in the city of Erie, Pa., and for McKean County, Pa., at the office in Smethport, Pa., on Monday, the first Monday of October, A. D. 1901, at 10 o'clock a. m., for the dissolution of said The J. G. Curtis Leather Company, a corporation organized under the laws of the Commonwealth of Pennsylvania, at the same time and place the undersigned, the directors of the said The J. G. Curtis Leather Company will present their petition and ask for the appointment of a receiver to settle up the affairs of said corporation.

Attest: THE J. G. CURTIS LEATHER COMPANY.
G. W. HOUSE, Secretary.



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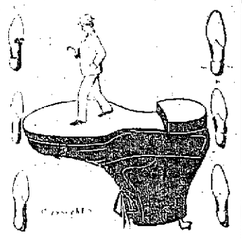

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